CHALK PORTRAITS OF SOCIETY WOMEN

Fred Pegram's Unusual Drawings Likenesses and Little Else.

OLD METHOD REVIVED

old English Color Prints in Another Room Much More Pleasing.

ong ago at the galleries of E. M. there was an exhibition of century portrait drawings by John Downman in chalk, heightened new and again with color, applied in stances upon the back of the d so arranged as to produce of soft luminosity. The little acted a good deal of attention so who could appreciate the icate qualities of portraiture ggested that in due time some to-day might come along with has similar method of work. is now been placed on exhibition

Knoedler Galleries a set of small rawings contrived after Downmanner of technique by an Engan, Fred Pegram, who avowedly revive the Downman tradition. ubjects are women or chil names familiar in accounts of k society's doings are frequent In size, in the utilization of ekgrounds, in the predominance and white, with touches of and again to give sauvity rawings resemble those of the artist's model of a century ago. tittle else, however, in which are common properties. ingratiating, leisurely, Mr. Pegram is literal, un aginative and wanting in freedom n warmth and geniality of He has set forth, no doubt, likethat earry the main facts in nd reasonably accurate fashion. as given to those who look at these awings the outward aspects, as a asty or superficial person might re-

hem in words. t they are scarcely expressive measurable degree. They add any casual acquaintance might possess of the subjects. And as drawngs, as pictures, they hold little of the veracity, the lively perception indling enthusiasm that must be spended upon to keep alive any real rest a portrait in any medium may

n the gallery adojining the Pegram drawings are sixteen portraits on canes, many of them of large size, by A. Her Ury, They too bring forward a tumber of men and women whose names are well known, but they do not spire much joy on the visitor's part. n still another room at the Knoedler establishment, there is a collection of elightful old English prints in color actuding the well known "Cries of set, engraved by the two navonettis and Vendramini, after the

bought the Venetian "Fishing total for the entire collection was

mental finance in the state evening at Adolian Hall.

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bazaar was held yesterday afternoon e house of Mrs. Thomas Powell Fow-for the benefit of the Good Cheer and useful articles, home made cake and for the children there were known as the Monday spring dances will bags and a prize fish pond. Among begiven at Delmonico's on April 14 and and Miss Ruth Haskins.



Ecce Femina!

Club, an orchestra composed of amateur musicians of society, was given yesterday afternoon in the ballroom of the Waldorf Astoria for the benefit of the Speedwell After a short trip Mr. and Mrs. Sherms will be devoted to the work of this organi-hawken. MR. BACHENHEIMER'S CONCERT. zation, which cares for children taken from nospitals and crowded tenements and A Young Barytone Whose Technic Keeps them until they are well. Mrs. Donald Sage Mackay is the honorary president of the society and Mrs. Fredpression of the so

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best man.
After the ceremony there was a reception at the home of the bride's 135 Shippen street. Weehawken Heights. After a short trip Mr. and Mrs. Sherman

Miss Lillie King, daughter of the late Thomas King, was married yesterday to Eckley Hungerford Stearns at her home in Irvington, N. Y., the Rev. Dr. R. Converse of Rochester, N. Y., officiating, Miss Florence King, the bride's sister, was her only attendant, and Charles H. Stearns of this city acted as his brother's best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Stearns will sail for Europe to-morrow and after a stay of two months will live in this city.

Normal College, a Roman wedding presented as a spectacle by the students, College Chapel, Sixty-eighth street and Park avenue, 4:15 P. M.

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YESTERDAY AT THE OPERA.

WEDDINGS.

WIlliams—Blackwell.

The Madion of Miss Jennet Drum, and the brides parents of London in be United States and a half the assistant of Holland and worked under De Groot and Bredien States and the Williams—Blackwell.

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Mrs. Anson W. Burchard will give a Lawton, Herbert Neal, Alfred Boomali dance to-night at Sherry's.

George Wagstaff, Henry M. Lawton, Herbert Neal, Alfred Boomali dance to-night at Sherry's. The last for this season of the Neigh-

room of the Ritz-Carlton.

FINDS A REMBRANDT' UNDER THE PAINT

Dr. Valentiner, Museum's Expert. Says It's a Fine Work of the Master.

BOUGHT IT FOR \$510

One of Artist's Portraits of His Son Revealed by Cleaning.

Dr. Valentiner of the Metropolitan Museum of Art returned to the city yesterday after a vacation trip to Havana and confirmed a report that had been whisiered for several days past -that the picture he recently purchased at the Benjamin sale is a veritable Rembrandt. He is most enthusiastic about his lucky discovery and believes it not only to be a Rembrandt but a fine Rembrandt.

He attributed it to the master's lat period and thinks the portrait one of the many which Rembrandt made of his own son Titus and painted, it is presumed, shortly before Titus's death.

The picture was catalogued in the recent Benjamin sale as "The Advocate," by Karel Fabritius, and was sold in the Hotel Plaza by the American Art Association on March 18 last to Dr. Valentiner for only \$510. Mr. Benjamin purchased it in 1904 for \$160 at the teller, he made his first appearance on the stage at Westerly, R. I., in "Cigable longed to Humphry Ward, at that belonged to Humphry Ward, at that limit are critic of the London Times. New York appearance at the Academy designed the Dominican Priory in this longer than the longer than the

time art critic of the London Times. Fabritius was born in 1624 and died in 1654. He was not only a pupil of Rembrandt but the master of Jan Vermeer of Delft.

It can be seen that the picture had already been scrutinized before Dr. Valentiner saw it in the Benjamin collection and suspected that beneath the much repainted "Advocate" lay something finer. Humphrey Ward was a great collector of old pictures and many of the seen that the picture and collector of old pictures and many of the seen that the man to two years and then made his first New York appearance at the Academy of Music in "Trish Aristocraey." In 1856 he began playing in farce comedy and made a hit in Hoyt's "A Tin Soldier" and other pieces.

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been active in the search for more Rembrandts. He is a son-in-law of M. Sedelmeyer, a great Parisian art dealer also a Rembrandt expert.

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new discovery and is as fully convinced as Dr. Valentiner is of the authenticity of this Rembrandt.

Dr. Valentiner is the curator of decorative arts at the museum and came here from Berlin, strongly recommended by Dr. Bode, the director-general of the royal museums of Berlin, whose private assistant he had been for two years. His university degree was obtained at Heidelberg, where leads to be not at the directory of the control of the South Brooklyn Board of Real Estate Brokers, and also organized ten branches of the National League of Commission Merchants. He was a member of the South Brooklyn Board of Trade and of the National League of Commission Merchants. He was a member of the South Brooklyn Board of Trade and of the National League of Commission Merchants. He was a member of the South Brooklyn Board of Trade and of the National League of Commission Merchants. He was a member of the South Brooklyn Board of Trade and of the National League of Commission Merchants. He was a candidate for the Assembly District Democratic Club. He was a candidate for the Assembly in 1896. He is survived by his wife, Ida; three sons and two daughters.

Sewell Tappan Tyng.

Sewell Tappan Tyng, a lawyer of 15 william street, died last night at his home. besides being a student he was for a year and a half the assistant to Henry Throde, the writer on paint-

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The last for this season of the dances observed and there was general dancing, organized by Mrs. Howland Davis and For those who desired there were tables Mrs. Robert R. Livingston was given last for bridge. Supper was served after mid-

Mrs. J. B. Alexander of Buffalo has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Pearl Alexander, to Harry M. Simon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Simon of the served there and the party then went uplows.

ner, Hotel Manhattan, 6:30 P. M.

At Unrestricted Public Sale

The Rita Lydig Collection THIS AFTERNOON AT 2:30 At the American Art Galleries

Madison Square South.

THIS EVENING AT 8:45

In the Grand Ball Room of The Plaza

Fifth Avenue, 58th to 59th Street.

where prospective buyers will be admitted by card, which may be had upon written application to the Managers

> The Sales will be conducted by MR. THOMAS E. KIRBY, of

The American Art Association

Managers, 6 East 23d St., Saddson Sq. South, N. Y

THOMAS Q. SEABROOKE.

Well Known Comedian in Light Opera Started in a Bank.

Thomas Q. Seabrooke, for more than twenty years well known as a comedian in light opera, died yesterday afternoon in Chicago. Mr. Seabrooke, whose real name was Thomas Quigley, was born in Mount Vernon in 1860. He left the public schools when he was 11 years old to work. schools when he was 11 years old to work in the Port Chester Bank. In 1880, when he had become paying

One Time Hend of the Pacific Mail Dies at 80.

ROCHELLE, April 3 .- Edmund

engineer at Georgetown University.
Giving up his profession because of poor eyesight he went to California in 1850 and went into the steamship business.
He became the head of the Pacific Mail

Special Cable Despatch to THE SUN.

RELIN. April 3.—Eberhard Nestle.

D. professor and ephorus at Maul-BERLIN. bronn. Wurttemberg, is dead.
He was born at Stuttgart in 1851. He was a professor at Ulm from 1883 to 1890 and again from 1893 to 1898. In the nearftime he was intrusted with vacant professorship of Semitic languages at Tubingen. Since 1898 he had been proat the Evangelical Theologica Seminary and in 1912 was made ephorus (headmaster). He was the author of a number of valuable works.

William B. Reed, Jr.

William B. Reed, Jr., son of William B. Reed, late cashler of the First National Reed, late cashler of the First National Hank, this city died yesterday at his home in Brewster, N. Y. Mr. Reed was 37 years old. He used to live at 162 West 121st street. He was a Princeton man, class of 1896. In 1907 he married Miss Martha Crosby, daughter of S. O. Crosby of Brewster, and moved to Brewster. He was one of the organizers and a partner in the Miller-Reed Company, construction Clason Point Military Academy Cadet in the Miller-Reed Company, construction orps, review and reception, Sixty-ninth legiment Armory, Lexington avenue and street. He was a member of the University Club, the Engineers Club, the Prince-tented as a spectacle by the students.

Mary Elisabeth Vonck.

Mary Elizabeth Vouck, who died on Tuesday at her home, 614 Willough by avenue. Brooklyn, in her ninety-fourth year, was the daughter of William Vouck. a wholesale butcher, at one time superintendent of markets of New York. In her early life her family lived on the Bowery, then a residential section of the city.

Brooklyn in 1875, and was a graduate of St. James Academy. He studied law for three years. He was known to most of the lawyers of New York, as his work took him among them daily. In 1909 Mr. Maguire organized Hatfield, Maguire & Co., 160 Broadway. In 1898 he married Alice M. Sweeney of Kingston, N. Y., who with two sons survives him.

Irving G. Hooper.

Irving G. Hooper, 72 years of age, and a prominent architect of Newark, died yesterday at his home, 336 Park avenue. Mr Hooper had lived in Newark since he was 10 years old. In 1885 he started busi-

collector of old pictures and many of his finds upon recleaning have proved to be fine works of art. In particular he discovered a Rembrandt in just the same manner that Dr. Valentiner has now done.

The uncovering of the Rembrandt was done for Dr. Valentiner by Dr. Paul Merch of Paris, who is in New York at the present time. Mr. Merch is a well known French expert upon the restoration of old paintings and has always been active in the search for more sembrands.

Line 18te of the three years, that he made his greatest success.

In later years he appeared in "Yankee Doodle Dandy," "The Rounders" and "Pliff, Paff, Pouf," and in 1896.

Hans Reiss, an inventor whose improvements on sewing machine parts have made him famous in the machinery world, died yesterday in St. Francis's Hospital, Jersey City. He lived at 75 Grand street. Born in Schleisen, Germany, in 1836, Mr. Reiss came to America at the age of twenty-four. He was an inventor then he had been playing in vaudeville. He married recently Miss Mary Martha Shepard at her home in St. Louis and later appeared in vaudeville with his mother-in-law, Mrs. George W. Quinn, who was known on the stage at Mattie Quinn. His first wife divorced him in 1896.

Liang Tuck.

Bulletin, died last night at his home, 610 Tenth street, Brooklyn, in his fifty-fifth year. He founded the Produce News and at one time owned the Fruit Trade Journoi. He was one of the organizers of the Fruit and Produce Trade Association and of the Brooklyn Board of Real Estate

Sewell Tappan Tyng.

Sewell Tappan Tyng, a lawyer of 15
William street, died last night at his home,
512 Fifth avenue. Mr. Tyng was 45 years
old. He was born in New York. He was
graduated from Williams College in 1888
and studied at the Columbia law school.
He had practised in this city ever since.
He married Miss Edith Gale of this city
in 1894. He was a member of the University, the Alpha Deita Phi and the
Squadron A clubs. Mrs. Tyng and a son,
Sewell Tappan, survive.

Miss Rosamond Burr Engaged. Mr. and Mrs. Winthrop Burr, of this city and Lawrence, L. L. have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Rosamond Burr to Albert B. Kerr of the late Senator James Kerr of Penn-sylvania Miss Burr has been for the Sylvania Miss Burr has been for the winter with her parents at 122 East Fortieth Street. Mr. Kerr was graduated from Yale, and he is a member of the law firm of Zabriskie, Murray, Sage & Kerr of this city. No date has been set for the wedding.

MARRIED.

WILLIAMS-BLACKWELL -On Thursda April 3, 1913, at the residence of the bride's mother, 32 West Seventy-fifth street, New York city, by the Rev. Herman Lilienthal, rector of St. George's Church, Astoria, L. I., Jennet Drummond

DIED.

COUSINS -- On April 2, 1913, at his residence, 161 Ross street, Brooklyn, Thomas Cousins.

Funeral services on Friday, April 4, at CROMMELIN .- At her home, 503 West 121at street, on Thursday, April 3, 1912, May Bell, daughter of the late William H and Elizabeth Crommelin.

uneral service will be held at St. Andrew's Church. 125th street and Fifth avenue, ox Saturday, April 5, at 10 A. M family. after a brief illness, William H. Fletcher, the 36th year of his age.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence. 777 West End avenue, on Friday morning. April 4. at 10 o'clock. Inerment private. Kindly omit flowers. McCARTHY .- On Tuesday, April 1, at \$12 Seventh street. Brooklyn, Denis McCar

thy, in his 78th year. Requiem mass at the Church of St Thomas Aquinas. Ninth street and irth avenue, Friday, April 4, at 19 Interment private. Kindly omis

flowers. MURRAY.-On April 2, Ida F. Flynn, be-loved wife of Charles D. Murray, in her 37th year. Funeral from her late residence, 23 North

Saturday, April 5, at 10 A. M. ment Calvary Cemetery. QUINTARD .- On Wednesday, April 2, 1913, at his residence, 922 Fifth avenue, George W. Quintard, in the 91st year of his age.

Park arenue, Arverne, L. I., to Church of St. Rose of Lima (Mammels Station),

Funeral services at Trinity Church Sat-urday at 10:20 o'clock A. M. REED .- At Browster, N. Y., April 8, 1918.

William B. Reed, Jr., age 39 years.
Funeral service at his late residence at
Brewster, N. Y., Sunday, April 6, 64
12:15 P. M. Interment Carmel, N. Y. Carriages will meet train leaving Grand Central Station at 9:34. TYNG.—Suddenly, on April 3, 1913, Sewell Pappan, son of the late Stephen H. Tyng

and Fannie Tappan, in the 45th year of his age, at his residence, 512 Fifth avenue. Notice of funeral hereafter. WEST.-William. aged 76. Services "THE FUNERAL CHURCH." 241 West Twen-

ty-third street (Frank E. Campbell Building), Friday, 3 o'clock. Autome-